

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 10 HANFORD/INL PROJECT OFFICE

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Douglas C. Smith Project Manager U.S. Department of Energy Richland Operations Office PO Box 550, Mail Stop A7-50 Richland, Washington 99352

Re: Bala

Balance of Work to Complete the Interim Remedial Actions for the 100-F Area

Milestone

Dear Mr. Smith:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is concerned with the amount of potential work that remains to meet the approaching 100-F Area milestone. There are some waste sites where sampling has not yet been conducted and other sites such as the 128-F-2 burn pit site where sampling has been initiated, but has not been completed.

It is our expectation that the Department of Energy and its contractor have a well thought out schedule that includes sampling as well as the remediation needed to meet the M-016-49 milestone.

Please contact me at (509) 376-3749 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

Rod Lobos

Project Manager

cc: Stacy Charboneau, DOE

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